FISCAL NOTE

SB 3122 - HB 2965

February 23, 1998

SUMMARY OF BILL: Provides that a court shall order a person to operate a motor vehicle equipped with a functioning ignition interlock if: (1) convicted of DUI, (2) pending trial on a DUI charge, if that person refused a blood alcohol breath test, or (3) upon taking such test, had a breath alcohol level of .10% or greater. The bill describes provisions under which conditional driver licenses may be issued. The bill describes the functions to be performed by the interlock device and responsibilities of the Department of Safety. In addition, the bill establishes an indigent fund, which would be funded from a 2% fee applied to service providers of interlocking devices.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$35,000 Recurring \$10,000 One-Time Increase State Revenues - Net Impact - Less than \$100,000

Assumes that the Department of Safety will add two positions for additional responsibilities in complying with the provisions of the bill.

Assumes additional revenues will be collected from increased issuance of restricted driver's licenses but is not estimated to be significant.

Assumes revenues collected from the 2% fee imposed on the total revenues of service providers will be sufficient to offset the expense of providing such devices to the indigent.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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